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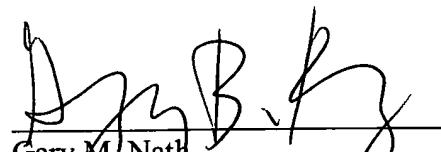
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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This is a full and complete response to the Office Action having a mailing date of February 23, 2005. The three-month shortened statutory period to respond to the Office Action was set to expire May 23, 2005, making this a timely filed response to the present Office Action.

In view of the following amendments and remarks, the Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner reconsider and withdraw the outstanding objections and rejections and allow this application.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 13 of this paper.